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## WE'RE MOVING FORWARD ON SUSTAINABLE HALTON PHASE II – GROWTH CONCEPTS

Halton Region is developing a plan for building sustainable and healthy communities for generations to come. This growth management initiative is called **Sustainable Halton**. Halton Region's efforts will mean less sprawl, greater protection of farmland, better infrastructure, and more liveable communities.

In June of this year, Halton Region released five Growth Concepts that show where future homes and jobs could be located.

In September, the Region is hosting **four open houses** to discuss the five Growth Concepts. Come to an open house to learn about how the Region is planning for sustainable and healthy communities and how we will meet the Province's population and employment growth forecasts for Halton Region. We want to hear your views of the Growth Concepts. Your comments are important as we move forward on Sustainable Halton and further refine the concepts in the next phase of work.

If you are unable to attend, or want more information, please visit our website at [www.halton.ca/sustainablehalton](http://www.halton.ca/sustainablehalton). Follow the links to the online workbook and give us your thoughts.

**We look forward to hearing from you.**

### Sustainable Halton Meeting Schedule

Date	Location	Venue	Time
Monday September 8	<b>Burlington</b>	Appleby Ice Centre Multi-Purpose Room 1201 Appleby Line	6:15 to 9:00 p.m. *presentation at 6:45
Tuesday September 9	<b>Milton</b>	Milton Sports Centre Banquet Room 605 Santa Maria Blvd	6:15 to 9:00 p.m. *presentation at 6:45
Wednesday September 10	<b>Oakville</b>	River Oaks Community Centre Community Room A 2400 Sixth Line	6:15 to 9:00 p.m. *presentation at 6:45
Tuesday September 16	<b>Halton Hills</b>	Georgetown District High School Cafeteria 70 Guelph Street Georgetown	6:15 to 9:00 p.m. *presentation at 6:45

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## Help break the silence and save lives

Approximately 30 people die by suicide in Halton every year. Over 400 are hospitalized annually from attempted suicides. And for every suicidal death, at least six others are directly impacted.

September 10th was World Suicide Prevention Day. To commemorate the event, I urge you to visit the Halton Suicide Prevention Coalition's website, [www.suicidepreventionhalton.ca](http://www.suicidepreventionhalton.ca). The site offers information on how to prevent suicide, where to go for help and ways to care for your mental health. A "Tell Someone" poster and fact sheet are available to organizations who would like to help raise awareness of this issue. For copies, call Halton Region at 905-825-6000, toll free 1-866-442-5866 or visit [www.halton.ca/health](http://www.halton.ca/health).

Suicide is a complex problem, but it is preventable. As a community, we need to break the silence. By talking openly, we can save lives and reduce suffering.



*Gary Carr*  
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Regional Chair

Halton Regional  
Meeting Schedule

September 17 9:30 a.m. Regional Council

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## A Crime Stoppers hat-trick

Crime Stoppers of Halton held a ceremony at Halton Regional Police headquarters last week to honour local media and Sgt. Gary Gold (centre) for a trio of awards won at the recent Crime Stoppers International Conference in Des Moines, Iowa. Gold, the Halton Crime Stoppers co-ordinator, was named top co-ordinator in the world for his efforts in promoting the program in 2007. *Independent & Free Press* managing editor John McGhie (right) accepted an award on behalf of editor Cynthia Gamble for the best international Crime of the Week report which highlighted the theft of a memorial plaque from an Acton park. Metroland Media Group's Halton newspapers, including *The Independent & Free Press*, were also honoured for the best feature article written by *Milton Canadian Champion* reporter Stephanie Hounsell (left). Hounsell won for a story profiling Gold. More than 1,200 entries were submitted from 30 countries.

Photo by Liesa Kortmann

## Police Chorus is looking for new singers

Do you sing? Can you carry a tune? If so, Halton Regional Police Chorus would like to hear from you.

The chorus is looking for civic minded people to join them in their love of singing and bringing joy to the community and is hosting an open house for anyone interested Tuesday, Sept. 16 from 7-9 p.m. at Halton Police headquarters, 1151 Bronte Rd.,

Oakville.

Those who attend will have a chance to meet and hear the chorus and complete the application process.

The chorus practises Tuesday nights from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at headquarters.

For more information, contact Sgt. Brian Carr, Public Affairs Officer at 905-878-5511 or e-mail [chorus@hrps.on.ca](mailto:chorus@hrps.on.ca).



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## Hiring Needs

Join us at our **JOB FAIR**  
Receive résumés on the spot

Thursday, October 16, 2008  
Burlington Convention Centre  
1120 Burloak Drive, Burlington  
12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- Access to over 1,000 motivated job seekers from all over Halton
- Free registration, parking and refreshments
- Extensive promotion of your business

Limited space for commission based businesses

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